1	2	3	4	
11	Tamil Nadu	7	..	..
12	Tripura	200	200	200
13	Uttar Pradesh	744	947	650
14	West Bengal	436	436	351
	TOTAL : (States)	6046	3669	3352

*Including State Plan.

Brain drain in NTPC

115. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA:
DR. BAPU KALDATE:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Thermal Power Corporation has been losing its best and most experienced hands and is in the grip of brain-drain;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof stating the NTPC employees (including Directors and General Managers) who have since left the Corporation and those likely to leave their jobs;

(c) what are the reasons for discontentment among the NTPC employees forcing them to leave the Corporation; and

(d) what measures are contemplated by Government to check the brain-drain trend in the NTPC?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI URMILABEN CHIMANBHAI PATEL): (a) and (b) There has been no brain-drain from the National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC). An analysis of resignation over the years reveals that there is no significant increase in the resignation profile in the current year. During 1994-95 (till January, 1995), two Directors and two Executive Directors (who are below the Board level) have left the organisation. In all, 105 Executives left NTPC during this period. It is not possible to indicate the number of Executives who are likely to leave their jobs.

(c) There is no discontentment among the NTPC employees.

(d) Does not arise.

New Power Projects

116. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the actual status of progress of the so called 'fast track power projects for which concessions like Government of India Counter guarantee on payment obligations and minimum of 16 percent assured rate of return on investments were granted and the details thereof;

(b) whether Government consider the progress satisfactory; and

(c) if not, what corrective measures are being contemplated?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI URMILABEN CHIMANBHAI PATEL): (a) The Government of India has so far signed counter guarantee docu-